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Amendments to the Claims:

This listing of claims replaces all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

<u>Listing of Claims</u>:

- 1. (Currently Amended) A polypeptide <u>consisting of an amino acid sequence</u> selected from the group consisting of:
 - (a) amino acids 37-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 104);
 - (b) amino acids 39-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 102); and
 - (c) amino acids 42-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 99).
- 2. (Original) The polypeptide of claim 1, wherein the amino acid sequence consists of amino acids 37-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 104).
 - 3-7. (Cancelled)
- 8. (Original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 1 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
 - 9-10. (Cancelled)
- 11. (New) The polypeptide of claim 1, wherein the amino acid sequence consists of amino acids 39-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 102).
- 12. (New) The polypeptide of claim 1, wherein the amino acid sequence consists of amino acids 42-140 of SEQ ID NO:9 (NBN 99).

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13. (New) The polypeptide of claim 2, wherein the polypeptide is glycosylated.

- 14. (New) The polypeptide of claim 11, wherein the polypeptide is glycosylated.
- 15. (New) The polypeptide of claim 12, wherein the polypeptide is glycosylated.
- 16. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 2 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 17. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 11 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 18. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 12 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 19. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 13 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 20. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 14 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.
- 21. (New) A pharmaceutical composition comprising the polypeptide of claim 15 and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier.